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Dear Poxel Shareholder,



This new letter is an opportunity to review with you the highlights of the past few months and to outline our development strategy for the coming years.

Poxel's mission to discover, develop and commercialize innovative therapies for patients suffering from serious chronic and rare diseases is first focused on adrenoleukodystrophy (ALD), a rare neurometabolic disease. To this end, we have planned, and are prepared to initiate, Phase 2 proof-of-concept studies in adrenoleukodystrophy (ALD), pending additional financing. During 2022 our ALD clinical candidates were granted significant regulatory designations in the EU and importantly, Fast Track Designation in the US. Autosomal dominant polycystic kidney disease (ADPKD) is another rare metabolic indication that we are targeting, and for which preclinical studies demonstrated the potential of PXL770.

Our first commercialized product TWYMEEG, marketed in Japan since September 2021, has experienced strong sales growth in recent months and actual 2022 sales exceeded Sumitomo Pharma's guidance by more than 20%. Based on TWYMEEG's strong growth trajectory, we have been able to restructure our debt and extend our financial visibility by 2 years, through Q2 2025. This extended financing horizon provides greater financial flexibility to finalize other financing opportunities, including ongoing active partnership discussions related to our programs, with the objective to pursue our strategic plan in rare diseases.

For PXL065, we announced positive results from our Phase II DESTNY-1 study in non-alcoholic steatohepatitis (NASH). The study met its primary efficacy endpoint, showing a statistically significant improvement in liver fat after 36 weeks of treatment with all doses of PXL065. These results validate the concept of PXL065, which could thus become a key treatment in NASH, alone and in combination. Discussions with potential partners have also been initiated to pursue clinical development in this indication via a pivotal program under the FDA's 505(b)(2) regulatory pathway. We continue to believe that NASH represents a large and underserved opportunity.

We look forward to updating you on our progress. Thank you once again for your continued support.

Sincerely,

Thomas KuhnChief Executive Officer

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Focus on Rare Diseases

Poxel's mission is to develop and commercialize innovative therapies for patients suffering from serious chronic and rare diseases with underlying metabolic pathophysiology. To fulfil this mission, rare metabolic indications represent a strategic focus, starting with adrenoleukodystrophy, and ADPKD.

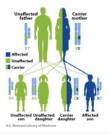
Poxel's sees significant opportunity in rare diseases as:

- Prevalence remains high;
- Study costs are much less significant than large diseases;
- Potential premium pricing can be applied;
- Full development and commercialization could be managed by the Company, allowing to capture greater economics;
- Regulatory designations derisked development plan thanks to greater interactions with FDA / EMA;
- Competition remains low.

Adrenoleukodystrophy, a Not-so-Rare Orphan Neurometabolic Disease

Genetics

- Monogenic, X-linked mutations in ABCD1 gene
- Gene encodes a transporter present in peroxisomes required for metabolism of very long chain fatty acids (VLCFA)
- Males more severely affected



Prevalence

Estimated US Prevalence¹ 20,000 - 29,000



Estimated Global Prevalence¹ 444,000 - 644,000



Diagnosis & Clinical Features

Diagnosis:

- newborn screening increasingly common (now >60% of newborns in US)
- clinical presentation followed by measurement of VLCFA and genotyping

Clinical:

- spinal cord degeneration (adrenomyeloneuropathy - AMN) in ≈100% of males with adult onset
- cerebral lesions up to ≈60% lifetime risk - both children and adults
- adrenal insufficiency

Design of the Planned Phase 2 Study

Key inclusion criteria

- Males with AMN
- Age 18-65
- No active cerebral disease
- 2 cohorts of 12 patients for PXL770



Results expected within 1 year Current plan is to launch the studies in 2023

PXL770 Opportunity in ADPKD

Reduces Human Cyst Growth

- Autosomal-dominant genetic form of chronic kidney disease (CKD)
- 140,000 patients in US; fourth leading cause of CKD
- >50% develop renal failure by age $50 \rightarrow$ dialysis, transplant
- 1 drug approved tolvaptan used to attenuate progression; severe liver AE's and poor tolerability (polyuria)

Reduces Kidney Weight



Normalizes Kidney Function

Robust efficacy profile with target engagement in established ADPKD model systems Additional efficacy also demonstrated in diabetic kidney disease model Phase 2 ready opportunity

PXL770

Based on published and newborn screening incidence rates of 1/12,000-1/17,000; Bezman L, Ann Neurol 2001; 49;512-17; Kemper AR, Genet Med. 2017; 19:121-26; Schmidt JL, Am J Med Genet 2020; 182A1906-12;





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TWYMEEG's Strong Growth Trajectory & Forecasts

TWYMEEG (Imeglimin) is the Company's first-in-class commercialized drug, for the treatment of Type-2-Diabetes patients. This is the results of the strong expertise of a very talented team, which led the program alone up the Phase 3. before partnering it for type-2-diabetes in Asia¹ with a major player in the field.

Including: Japan, China, South Korea, Taiwan, Indonesia, Vietnam, Thailand, Malaysia, the Philippines, Singapore, Myanmar, Cambodia, and Laos

A Productive Partnership for TWYMEEG® in Japan with Diabetes Market Leader

Commercial Strategy from Sumitomo Pharma

- TWYMEEG can be prescribed as add-on to any therapy and as monotherapy. Increasing combination use with DPP4 (prescribed to 80% T2D patients¹) and also with SGLT2 inhibitors
- Extensive medical affairs & clinical activities:
 - Phase 4 study ongoing targeting Type-2-Diabetes patients with chronic kidney diseases 3b/4 and 5
 - Multiple investigator sponsored trials ongoing to demonstrate additional benefits
- Patent estate extends to 2036 (including potential 5-year patent term extension), with other applications ongoing

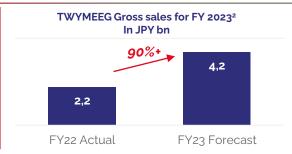
→ Potential additional partnerships in specific territories

- IQVIA data FY2016 and NDB data FY2016.
- 8% royalties expected through Sumitomo Pharma FY23 (to March 2024). First 8% of royalties on net sales of Imeglimin paid to Merck Serono. Net royalties above 8% retained by Poxel.

Collaboration Summary Upfront payments and clinical & regulatory milestones JPY 7.0bn (EUR 53m) **Royalties** Escalating royalties on net sales² to 8% paid receive 8-18% to Merck Sales-based payments Up to JPY 26.5bn (EUR 200m, USD 227m)

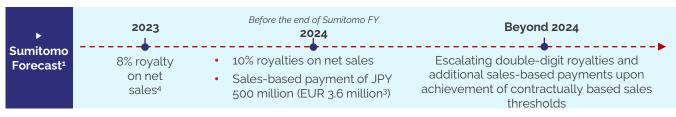
Strong Growth Trajectory in 20221 and 2023 forecast2





Market Status and Revenue Trends

- Sales in Japan Oct-Dec 2022: +90% over prior quarter
- Sumitomo FY2023 forecast¹: JPY 4.2 billion² (EUR 28.9 million³), a 90% increase over FY2022 gross sales



- Sumitomo Pharma fiscal year April-March. As per Sumitomo Pharma FY23 forecast of JPY 4.2 billion published
- Currency exchange as of March 31, 2023.
 - First 8% of royalties on net sales of Imeglimin paid to Merck Serono.

TWYMEEG's Impact on Debt Restructuring

- Agreements with lenders to postpone debt repayments:
 - To be repaid with positive net TWYMEEG royalties1, when TWYMEEG net sales in Japan reach JPY 5 billion, entitling Poxel to receive 10% royalties on all TWYMEEG net sales and a sales-based payment of JPY 500 million (EUR 3.6 million), expected Q1 2025 at latest
- Full repayment to PGE banks expected by Q2 2028 and to IPF by Q2 2029
- After this time, subsequent net royalties and salesbased payments will revert back to Poxel
 - First 8% of royalties on net sales of Imeglimin are paid to Merck Serono. Net royalties above 8% retained by Poxel.

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PXL065's Potential in NASH

About PXL065

- With recent positive data from our DESTINY-1 Phase 2 study, other positive data results in the field, and with still no approved therapies, Poxel remains convinced that NASH remains a high opportunity and that PXL065 could play a significant role thanks to its benefit risk profile.
- **PXL065** is a novel, proprietary deuterium-stabilized R-pioglitazone. Although pioglitazone is not approved by the FDA for the treatment of NASH, it is the most extensively studied drug for NASH and has demonstrated benefits on "of NASH resolution and on fibrosis improvement" in multiple Phase 3 & 4 trials. Pioglitazone is the only drug recommended for biopsy-proven NASH patients by the Practice Guidelines published by the American Association for the Study of Liver Diseases (AASLD) and the European Association for the Study of

the Liver (EASL).

Reaffirming Commitment in NASH with PXL065

HALLMARKS OF NASH



Steatosis



Inflammation



Ballooning

Randomization 1:1:1:1



cell activation

Fibrosis

First-in-Class - Novel Mechanism: ability to target multiple hallmarks of NASH

- Clinical validation: derived from pioglitazone - proven NASH benefits with Phase 2 DESTINY-1 results
- Daily oral administration: combinable with other approaches
- Innovative development approaches: 505(b)(2) regulatory path (PXL065)

Safety Profile

- Good safety-tolerability
- No dose dependent weight gain
- No increase in edema
- Low incidence on subjects presenting with related TEAEs (Treatment Emergent Adverse Events)
- No other AE of specific interest

PXL065 Phase 2 Trial Design



Key inclusion criteria

- Biopsy-proven NASH patients
- Liver fat content (MRI-PDFF) ≥ 8%

PXL065 7.5 mg QD / 25 patients PXL065 15 mg QD / 32 patients

PXL065 22.5 mg QD / 30 patients

Placebo QD / 30 patients

Double-blind treatment: 36 weeks

Positive Results from PXL065 Phase 2 Trial (DESTINY-1)

Primary efficacy endpoint met:

Liver fat content reduction at 36-weeks for all doses (21%-25% vs. placebo)

Secondary endpoints:

- Strong improvement in fibrosis observed (FDA approval endpoint) effect size as good or better than leading competitors' results
- **Metabolic benefits** significant HbA1c and insulin sensitivity effect
- Safe and well tolerated without PPARy driven AE's
- PXL065 is a differentiated NASH development candidate

Regulatory Requirements for Phase 3:

- FDA accepts 1 of the following endpoints for Phase 3 registrational
 - o (1) Fibrosis improvement ≥1 stage & no worsening of NASH or
 - (2) NASH resolution & no worsening of fibrosis
- EMA requires BOTH endpoints to be met for marketing approval

NEXT STEPS

PXL₀₆₅ prioritized to advance in NASH as partnered program

• Discussions for a potential pivotal program initiated

Publication of the Results in

- OF HEPATOLOGY SEASL
- Nature Review:

"Safer pioglitazone alternative is effective"

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Poxel in the French Media

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Poxel obtient la désignation de médicament orphelin de la Commission européenne dans le traitement de l'adrénoleucodystrophie





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Poxel: grimpe après des résultats positifs dans le traitement de la NASH







Gousier.com — Dans de copieux volumes, Poxel grimpe de 4,8% à 2,42 euros après l'annonce de premiers résultats de phase 2 positifs pour PXLD55 dans le traitement de la NASH. "La plogitazone a fait la preuve de son efficacité dans la NASH avec, à ce jour, 5 études cliniques cher des parents atteints de NASH ayant mis en évidence des améliorations histologiques manifestes qui se comparent favorablement aux autres molécules orales en développement", a déclaré Stephen Harrison, MD, Président du Summit Clinical Research.

Comme le rappelle Oddo BHF, les résultats de l'étude de phase 2 Destiny-1 sont clés pour la suite du développement du programme NASH de Poxel comprenant en plus du PRUSS, le PRLT70, activateur de l'AMPR qui a montré des premiers résultats possités à roccasion d'une étude de hanes 2.8 Pour rappe, le management de poxel avait reporté le lancement de la phase 25 du PRLT70 dans l'attente des résultats de cette phase 2 du PRUSB. L'idée ext de sélectionner une des deux molteurs qui continuers à être évaluée dans la NASF, la sexonde sera développée dans l'adréhomyéloneuropatie (une from é d'arénaleucodytraphie). Les prochaines données histologiques reviètent ainsi une double importance dans la mezure où elles permettrons à la fois de donner plus de visibilité quant su profil d'éfficacé de la molécule et de dessiner la suite de la stratégie de développement de la société dans la NASF et l'acidnomyéloneuropathie (AMN). Le broixer est à 'surperformer' sur le titre avec une cible de 6,7 euros.

LE PROGRÈS

Enfin une bonne nouvelle pour Poxel











Poxel étend sa visibilité financière jusqu'à la mi-2025

Poxel se donne un peu d'oxygène. La société vient ainsi de reporter au 1er trimestre 2025 le début du remboursement de sa dette qui sera réalisé et financé grâce au flux de redevances nettes attendues par Poxel au cours de l'année 2024 de Sumitomo Pharma grâce à la croissance des ventes du Twymeeg (imegletine), indiqué dans le diabète de type II.

La société a également obtenu une nouvelle ligne de financement en fonds propres d'Iris pour un premier tirage de 3,5 M€. Les dirigeants de Poxel recherchent, par ailleurs, des financements supplémentaires pour lancer des études de phase II dans l'adrénoleucodystrophie (ALD).

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Poxel annonce une trésorerie à 13,1 millions d'euros alors que les ventes de Twymeeg accélèrent

(AOF) - Poxel annonce qu'au 31 décembre 2022, la trésorerie et les équivalents de trésorerie du groupes élévaient à 13,1 millions d'euros (14 millions de dollans) : la blotech a réalisit en úntifer d'affaires de OG/14 million d'expos pour l'exercice dos le 31 décembre 2022. Elle confirme la progression récente des ventes de Twymeeg (Irmeglimmel) au Japon, en augmentation de 90 par rapport au trimestre précident. Les prévisions de ventes de Twymeeg pour l'exercice 2022 de rêt à augmentation de 90 par

Poxel se dit actuellement en discussions avancées avec ses créanciers afin de cturer sa dette et d'étendre son horizon de financement en alignant les sursements de la dette sur les futurs flux de redevances nets positifs de ce

Parallèlement l'étude de phase II Destiny-1 pour le PXL065 pour le traitement de la Nash (stéatohépatite non alcoolique) a atteint son critère principal d'évaluation av une réduction du taux de masse grasse dans le foie à toutes les doses, après 36









Les ventes de Poxel au Japon montent en puissance

09 novembre 2022











Société biopharmaceutique au stade clinique spécialisée dans les traitements de maladies chroniques métaboliques, la biotech lyonnaise Poxel (50 salariés : 286 000 euros de CA de janvier à septembre 2022) a multiplié par 4 ses ventes au Japon au 3e trimestre comparé au trimestre précédent. Au total, le chiffre d'affaires, qui s'élève à 286 000 euros sur les 9 premiers mois de l'année reflète essentiellement les redevances de Twymeeg (traitement pour le diabète de type 2) versées par son partenaire japonais Sumitomo Pharma. En phase 2 pour le développement de son traitement de la NASH (stéatose hépatique), Poxel recherche des financements pour démarrer les essais cliniques de phase 3 et souhaite s'associer à une BigPharma pour la commercialisation de Twymeeg en Europe. Pour gérer son endettement, la biotech a récemment restructuré sa dette avec IPF Partners et souscrit une ligne de financement en fonds propres auprès d'Iris Capital Investment. Au 30 septembre 2022, la trésorerie et équivalents de trésorerie s'élevaient à 17,1 millions d'euros, un montant qui devrait lui permettre de financer ses activités jusqu'à février 2023.

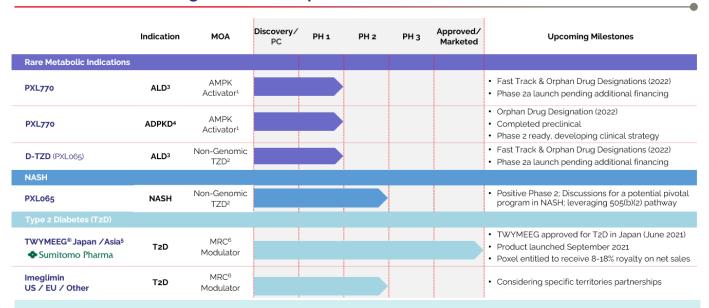




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Poxel's Pipeline and Shareholders' Notebook

Robust Mid-to-late Stage Metabolic Pipeline



→ Focus on Rare Metabolic Diseases & NASH

- 1. AMP-kinase
- 2. Deuterium-modified thiazolidinedione
- 3. X-linked Adrenoleukodystrophy
- 4. Autosomal dominant polycystic kidney disease
- Includes: China, South Korea, Taiwan, Indonesia, Vietnam, Thailand, Malaysia, Philippines, Singapore, Myanmar, Cambodia, Laos
- 6. Mitochondrial Respiratory Chain

Key Financial & Shareholder Information

Poxel On The Stock Exchange

Market	Euronext Paris since February 2015	POXEL LISTED EURONEXT
Ticker	POXEL	
ISIN	FR0012432516	
Market cap.	EUR 20.6 million¹	
Number of shares	32,993,402 ²	
Share price	EUR 0.624 ¹	
52-week trading range	EUR 0.59 - EUR 2.821	

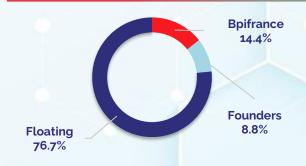
1. As of June 8th, 2023. 2. As of May 31st, 2023.

Key Financial Highlights



Cash and cash equivalents EUR 10.6 million (USD 11.6 million) as of March 31, 2023, with cash runway through Q2 2025.

Shareholder Structure



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